Docket No. 1948-4628

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Patent Application of:

Armiroli et al

: Group Art Unit: 2834

Serial No.: 09/473,012

Filed: October 1, 1999

: Examiner: Tran Nguyen

Title: ALTERNATOR FOR A VEHICLE WITH TAKE-UP

OF PLAY ON THE INTER-POLE MAGNETS

: Dated: October 29, 2003

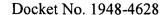
AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This Amendment and Response is submitted in response to an outstanding Final Office Action dated April 29, 2003, the shortened statutory period for response set to expire on July 29, 2003. Accordingly, a petition for an extension of time and extension fee are attached herewith. If the Commissioner determines that an additional extension of time and/or fee is required, the applicants hereby petition for the extension of time required to make this response timely and authorize the Commissioner to charge deposit account 13-4500, order 1948-4628 for the fee required.

Please amend the application as follows:





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AMENDMENT FEE TRANSMITTAL

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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CLAIMS AS AMENDED

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| Total Claims* | 30 = | 30 | 0 | \$18.00/ \$9.00 | \$ 0.00 |
| Independent Claims | 4 = | 4 | 0 | \$ 0.00 | |
| (If claims added by amendment include Multiple Dependent Claim(s) and there was no Multiple Dependent Claim(s) in application before amendment add \$290.00 to additional fee (\$145.00 for small entity). | | | | \$ | |
| | | | | TOTAL | \$ 0.00 |

^{*}Includes all independent and single dependent claims and all claims referred to in multiple dependent claims. See 37 C.F.R. $\S1.75(c)$.

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| | Reduced Fees Under 37 C.F.R. §1.9(f) paid herewith \$ | | | |
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| | Pages Sequence Listing | | | |
| | Computer disk(s) containing substitute Sequence Listing | | | |
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| | A check in the amount of \$ to cover the filing fee is attached. | | | |
| | Charge fee to Deposit Account No. <u>13-4500</u> , Order No A DUPLICATE COPY OF THIS SHEET IS ATTACHED. | | | |
| X | The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required for filing this amendment, including all fees pursuant to 37 CFR §1.17 for its timely consideration, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-4500, Order No. 1948-4628. A DUPLICATE COPY OF THIS SHEET IS ATTACHED. | | | |
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